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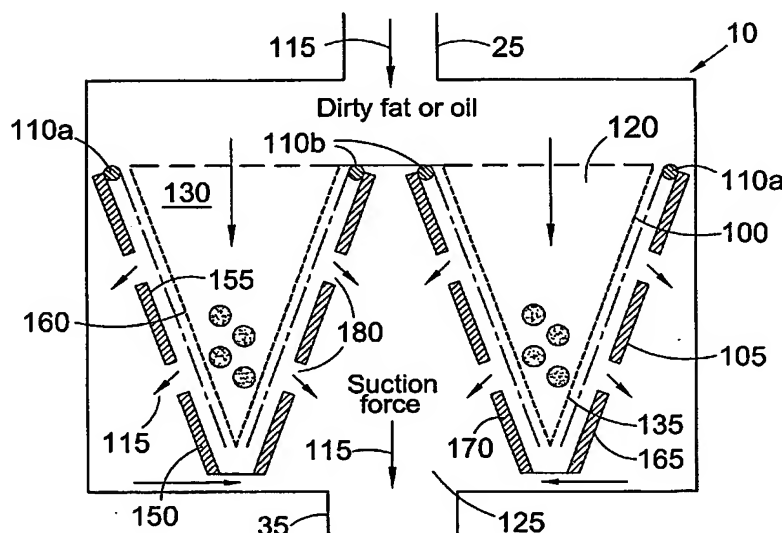
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(57) Abstract: There is disclosed a liquid filter apparatus (10;10'), such as a cooking oil and/or fat filter apparatus comprising a filter means (100;100') and at least one filter support means (105;105'). In use at least seal (110a;110b) is formed between the filter means (100;100') and the filter support means (105;105') by a liquid being filtered. The apparatus (10;10') also comprises a cup (130;130';202';204') for receiving matter from a liquid being filtered, wherein the filter means (100;100') and cup (130;130';202';204') are integrally formed in a single cup and filter body (135;135'). In disclosed embodiments the cup and filter body (135;135') defines a single annular cup (130;130'). In another disclosed embodiment, the cup and filter body defines a plurality of concentrically aligned annular cups (202'' ;204'').